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Applicant: Browne et al.

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For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A DETERGENT BAR

Group: 1732
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Edgewater, New Jersey 07020
February 5, 2004

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time to file a Response for one month, from January 8, 2004 to February 8, 2004.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1155 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. This request is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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